Besides, as per the report of the Eleventh Finance Commission, a total of Rs. 8255.69 Crores are to be transferred between the year 2000-2001 and 2004-2005 as 75% Central share of the Calamity Relief Funds of the States to meet expenditure on relief in the event of natural calamities by the State Governments concerned.

Electrification of Railway Routes

*659. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the total route of Indian Railways under electrification as on 31st January, 2002;

(b) what percentage is this, of the total Indian Railway routes;

(c) whether the target for electrification for Ninth Five Year Plan has been achieved; and

(d) whether target for Tenth Five Year Plan has been fixed; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI NITISH KUMAR): (a) and (b) As on 31.01.2002, 15680 Route kilometres have been electrified which constitutes 24.88% of total Indian Railway routes.

(c) Yes, Sir. Against the target of electrification of 2300 Route kilometres fixed during Ninth Five Year Plan, 2484 Route kilometres have been electrified, thus exceeding the target by 184 Route kilometres.

(d) Tentatively fixed at 2150 Route kilometres for Tenth Plan.